

<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>				Docket No. D0188.70162US01
Application No. 10/014,991-Conf. #4207	Filing Date December 11, 2001	Examiner V. Q. Bui	Art Unit 3773	
Applicant(s): Gregory E. Sancoff et al.				
Invention: MEDICAL SUTURE INSTRUMENT AND METHOD OF USE (ONUX SALUTE AND TOUCHÉ DEVICES)				
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>				
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.				
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.				
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>				
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate
<b>Total Claims</b>	54	- 54 =		x
<b>Independent Claims</b>	17	- 17 =		x
<b>Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)</b> <input type="checkbox"/>				
Other fee (please specify): Extension for response within third month <span style="float: right;">1,110.00</span>				
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b> <span style="float: right;">1,110.00</span>				
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Entity <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. <u>23/2825</u> in the amount of \$ _____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. <u>23/2825</u> as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.</p>				
<u>/Walt Norfleet/</u> Walt Norfleet Attorney/Agent Reg. No.: 52,078			Dated: <u>November 12, 2009</u>	
<b>Certificate of Electronic Filing Under 37 CFR 1.8</b> I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted via the Office electronic filing system in accordance with § 1.6(a)(4).				
Dated: November 12, 2009		Electronic Signature for Eileen M. MacKenzie: /Eileen M. MacKenzie/		